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- 2. In fulfilment of its obligations the Soviet Union has to date always delivered Polish coke to Hungary. Now, for the first time, the Soviets are delivering coke from the Don valley. A trial amount of 10,000 tons of this coke has been agreed upon as part of the 400,000 tons mentioned in the preceding paragraph.
- 3. In addition to the 400,000 tons ordered from the Soviet Union, Hungary has also contracted to purchase:
  - a. Between 220,000 and 230,000 tons of coke from Czechoslovakia.
    b. 75,000 tons directly from Poland.
- 4. Hungary's coke requirements for 1949 are thus fully covered, and this fact explains why she has not contracted to purchase any Ruhr coke.

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